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Are Coming!

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Bearcats  
Are Ready!

## La Meri, Dance Enchantress, Is Scheduled for Major Entertainment

### Faculty Members Plan for Summer

Activities Include Travel  
Abroad and Advanced  
Study for Degrees.

### Three Are Going to Europe

Dr. Blanche Dow Has Six Months  
Scheduled in France, Other  
Points in Western Europe.

Twelve faculty members have been granted leaves of absence. Miss Winice Ann Carruth, chairman of the women's physical education department, will leave at the end of the spring quarter to work towards a doctor's degree in either Stanford University, California, or New York University, New York. She plans to resume her work in the College next fall.

Mr. David Crozier and Mr. Kenneth Thompson, both of the industrial arts department, will do graduate work at Colorado A. & M., Fort Collins, Colorado. They will be absent from the College during the summer.

Miss Helen Johnson of the commerce department will study during her three months' leave beginning in June. She has not decided where and what she will study.

Mr. John N. Pederson of the boys' physical education department at Horace Mann high school will study during his leave of three months commencing in June. He will resume teaching in the fall.

Works in Social Science  
Mr. John S. Taylor of the social science department will attend the summer session at the University of Minnesota, working towards a doctor's degree. Mrs. Taylor and the children will remain in Maryville.

Miss Rachael Taul, of the social science department at Horace Mann high school, will leave for Europe on the Queen Elizabeth. She will study political science on her tour of the European democracies, sponsored by the Bureau of University Travel.

Miss Jessie B. Jutten, of the department of women's physical education, plans to attend the international conference on physical education for women and girls in Copenhagen, Denmark. Following the conference she will go to the gymnastic competition in Stockholm, Sweden. Passage on the Queen Elizabeth has been obtained. She will leave from New York the latter part of June and will return via the same route at the end of August.

Will Be in Paris and Versailles  
Dr. Blanche H. Dow, chairman of the foreign language department, will be on leave from March 1 to September 1. She plans to study and travel in France and western Europe. Most of her time will be spent in Paris and Versailles.

Mr. Hubert Peterson of the men's physical education department will work towards a doctor's degree in physical education and recreation at the University of Indiana from June, 1949, to June, 1950. His family will go to Bloomington with him.

Dr. June Cozine, chairman of the home economics department, will teach during the summer term at the University of Minnesota.

### Miss Dorthie Hall Reads Story for Delta Gammas

Miss Dorthie Hall, of the College English department, read "The Christmas Story" at the Christmas meeting of the Kappa chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma, national honor society for teachers, held in the dining room of the Hotel Robidoux in St. Joseph.

Voluntary contributions were gathered for books to be sent to foreign countries instead of the usual Christmas gift exchange among members. Six new members were initiated into the society.

College faculty members of the Delta Kappa Gamma society are Misses Mary E. Keith, Mattie M. Dykes, Dorthie Hall, Winice Ann Carruth, Dr. Irene M. Mueller, Dr. June Cozine, and Mrs. Ramona Canton. Misses Olive S. DeLuce and Chloe E. Millikan are members in the Kansas City chapter and Dr. Blanche Dow is an honorary state member.

Baker Referees at Kirksville  
Mr. Lon Wilson, Harold Hull and Byron Baker attended the Culver-Stockton basketball game at Kirksville. Mr. Baker refereed the game.

### Reserve Pictures Now!

Students and faculty who wish to reserve pictures available at the library may now do so for the spring quarter by notifying the main loan desk. All paintings checked out at present are due at the end of this quarter. No painting is fixed in location but is subject at all times to this "reserving" procedure.

The reproductions are available to all who live on the campus.

### College Students Give Instruction

Teachers in Training Are  
Directing Horace Mann  
School Classes.

Many students are teaching in the Horace Mann laboratory school this quarter, both in the elementary and in the secondary departments.

In the elementary department Helen Klammer is teaching in the kindergarten; Dorothea Carter, Roberta Mitchell, and Ann Curnutt in nursery school; Bedonna White, Rachel Robinson, and Janet Andler in the first grade; Irene Toland, Maxine McDermott, and Helen Klammer in the second grade; Marilyn Anderson and Lucille Lawrence in the fourth grade; Rose Marie Howe and Donna Slattery in the fifth grade; and Marlys Patrick, Bette McKown, and Julia Polton in the sixth grade.

### Secondary Department

In the secondary department Dorothea Adams, Lina Foster, Betty Hazelton, Beverly McCown, John Tilton, and Betty Williams are teaching speech; Loren Aldrich, Richard Appleman, Leroy Atkins, Charles Greene, R. D. Hall, Charles Laffoon, Homer Long, Don Pipes, Mahlon Sisk, and Edwin Wallace are teaching social studies. William Elliott, Maurice Geist, Irma Jensen, William King, Floyd Kling, Jerry Obermiller, Beverly Osburn, Thelma Vee Oyerly, Helen Richardson, Roberta Thomas, Paul Waters, and George Watson are teaching physical education.

General science teachers are James Arbogast and Roy Lilley; physics teachers are Foster Baker and Carolyn Steel. Doran Bowen, William Miller, Elmer Myers, Richard Owens, and Verlin Tompkins are teaching mathematics. Teachers in the commerce department are Clyde Bowen, Fred Davis, Doris Gillespie, Wanda Gray, Lenore Holbrook, Lee Hoover, Warren Horne, Jean Jacoby, Howard McIntosh, William Robey and Frances Frazier.

### Nine Teach English

Jean Bush, Elizabeth De Priest, Kenneth Fry, Hattie Litsch, Betty Jean Martin, Audrey Merritt, Norma Snyder, Betty Williams, and Nellie Sheard are teaching English; Betty Chandler, Phyllis Combs, Thelma Palma, Mary Loyce Rockwell, and Florine Wolf are teaching home economics.

Charles Dersler, P. J. Jantz, Paul Madsen, Virgil Turnbull, and Wilbur Pyles are teaching industrial arts. Music teachers are Donna Martin, Joan Miller, Robin Snyder, and Richard Huff. Earl Shelton is teaching French.

Members of this group chosen as student-teacher seminar committee members are Carolyn Steel, Earl Shelton, William Robey, Audrey Merritt, Lee Hoover, and R. D. Hall.

### Mary Elizabeth Henggeler, Youngest Student, Chooses Commerce, Language

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### This College Should Go Right With Queens Like These



Tower Queen Julie Polton and attendants relax at the Hall before the annual Tower Dance held Saturday in the Administration building. They are, left to right, Lois Walker, Turney; Shirley Burger, Bridgewater, Iowa; Queen Julie, Tabor, Iowa; Pat Smith, Maryville; and Margaret Berry, Shenandoah, Iowa. Their pictures will be prominent in the 1948 yearbook.

### Sixty Hear Recent Uranium Discussion

Mr. Donald M. Valk Uses  
Scenes of Mackinac,  
Algoma Territory.

Using colored slides of the Straits of the Mackinac and the Canadian Algoma country, Mr. Donald M. Valk, chairman of the industrial arts department, gave an illustrated talk on the latest uranium discoveries to sixty members of the Industrial Arts club, Thursday evening just before the holidays. The meeting was held in the departmental recreation room.

Dan Emerson, president, presided at a short business session which preceded the lecture. New committees were appointed as follows: social committee, William Petting, Louis La Bouff, Frank Stonner, and Othel Richards; program committee, Gid Jones, Bill Gamble, and William Pyles. Other officers of the club are Lloyd White, vice president; Maurice Geist, secretary and treasurer; Clyde Thompson, sergeant at arms.

Coffee and hot dogs were served to the group at the close of the meeting.

### Dr. J. W. Hake Resumes Work After Long Illness

Dr. J. W. Hake, chairman of the physics department, resumed his teaching duties January 3 after being absent for two months as a result of illness.

Dr. Hake spent most of the two months at his home at 608 College, but just before returning to school he spent eight days at the Mayo clinic at Rochester. He was taken there by Mr. J. N. Saylor, chairman of the mathematics department, who flew a Beechcraft Bonanza from the local airport.

During Dr. Hake's absence, his classes were taught by Mr. Saylor; M. D. Long, of the physical science department; and W. H. McQuerry, physics laboratory assistant.

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### Idea of Service Finds Place on This Campus

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, has during the past three years successfully promoted his idea that the function of this College is the education of teachers and the education of future citizens of northwest Missouri.

A few days ago the New York Times carried a story about the College and its system of lending copies of famous paintings to students and faculty. "There is no charge for the service," says Times, "which was begun as a means of acquainting students with the best in American Art."

Activities on this campus affect students and teachers throughout this area. Dr. Jones believes. Recognition in the New York Times shows that hundreds of people who may never see this campus may yet be aware of and be influenced by activities here.

President Begins Fourth Year  
Dr. Jones now begins his fourth year as president. Judging by the past, one may expect that this College will continue to be the servant of this district and that its work in all phases of education will be of beneficent influence.

Recently an instructional materials bureau was established in the Library. This bureau has a collection of instructional materials, courses of study, visual aids, and references for use by all citizens and teachers in this district.

Workshops Assist Teachers  
Last summer a Workshop in Education for Exceptional Children was held here. The goal of the workshop was to assist teachers in caring for individual differences in the classroom. It dealt with children who have speech defects, low mentality, cerebral palsy, superior intelligence, children who have poor eyesight or who are hard of hearing, and others. Again this summer a similar workshop in education for exceptional children will be held.

The North Central committee, organized this fall, has as its purpose the study and revision of teacher education. Committees on general education, objectives, improvement of education, professional education and student personnel are now at work.

Permanent headquarters for the 129th Field Artillery Battalion, Missouri National Guard, 35th Division have been established here.

Holds First School for Drivers  
Not long ago the first bus drivers' school of instruction to be held in this state was held here. Speakers discussed various phases of the bus drivers' work in transporting students.

Dr. Jones has helped to plan the Nodaway County Service Council which has for its objective, ways and means of developing cooperation to build a better Nodaway County. At the time of the Council's first meeting in November, school administrators and representatives from their communities planned to consider the following: religion, agriculture, public school, welfare, and business.

Many Improvements Are Made  
College Heights apartments have been constructed during recent years and offices and buildings on the campus have been made more modern.

The mimeograph-photostat department has been added. New equipment has been purchased for the home economics department, the speech department, and the health department.

A faculty-student lounge has been designed and the bookstore has been made larger; a store room has been added; much new equipment has been made available.

In the auditorium a public address system has been installed. At the main gymnasium a new floor has been laid. In the library the browsing room has been added.

Roads on the campus have been improved and new walks have been constructed. The power plant has been remodeled.

Lights, focused on the towers of the main building during evenings of important events, serve to remind the people as they approach the campus that their College is ready with its lectures, laboratories, libraries, extension programs, and workshops to be an important part of their lives.

Students Believe Tower  
Dance Excels All Others  
College students attending the Tower dance enthusiastically proclaimed it to be one of the most enjoyable events of the year.

Decorations built around the theme of "The Forty-Niners" provided an unusual and attractive setting for the students who danced to the music of Bob Tebow and his band.

Students were welcomed to the dance by the receiving line. In the line were Helen Fisher, Harrison Mutz, Dean and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham, David Arthur, Alice Wharton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neece, Jewell Rice and guest, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ringold.

Dean Steeby was master of ceremonies at the program during intermission. Norman Clouse sang "On a Slowboat to China" and Diana Dressler played a piano solo. The announcement was made that the 1949 Tower had been dedicated to Dr. M. C. Cunningham, dean of faculty.

Trumpets sounded as Karen Ringold carrying the Queen's bouquet and Chris Cunningham carrying the crown came through the crowd. Jeanie Zibel dropped flower petals for a path through which the Queen and her attendants walked. David Arthur, business manager for the Tower, crowned the Queen.

### Foreign Students Sponsor Program

Round Table Discussion,  
Exhibit and Recital  
Will Be Included.

Members of the Foreign Students Club will sponsor a program "Crossroads on the Campus," which will take place the first week in February.

For the week, exhibits arranged by Berta Escarra, Lima, Peru, and lent by members of the club, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Harry Dildine and Miss Katherine Franken of the education department, will be displayed in the Administration building and the Library. This program will also include: a recital of songs of different countries by Chai Sin Lee, tenor from Seoul, Korea, in the Horace Mann Auditorium, at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday, February 1; College assembly with a round table discussion on "Student Responsibility in Today's World" by Nicos Martinos, Athens, Greece; Pierre Sotteau, Lyons, France; and Diana Yip, Shanghai, China.

A special assembly with a guest speaker, President Clarence R. Decker of the University of Kansas City, who will speak on "The Greatness That Is America," will be held at 2:00 p. m., February 3, in the College auditorium. Following the lecture there will be a tea in the Benard Den, honoring President Decker, President Jones, the faculty and invited guests.

Abelardo Patino, Belalcazar, Caldas, Colombia, will be chairman of the host committee; Thelma Palma, Santa Fe, Panama, will be chairman of the committee of the food arrangement.

### Neece Visit in California

Mr. Harold Neece, business manager, and his family spent the Christmas vacation visiting his mother in Pomona, California. One evening of their vacation was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Main. Mr. Main being the former drama teacher of the College. They were able to do much sight seeing, and among the various places they visited were Pasadena, St. Bernardino, Palm Beach and Long Beach.

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### February Lectures

February 6—Mr. John Taylor, "The Problems of American Youth in Post-War America."

February 13—Mrs. Ramona Canton, "Trippingly on the Tongue."

February 20—Dr. Edwin H. Colbert, "The Long Reign of the Dinosaurs."

February 27—Miss Mattie M. Dykes, "Trying to Spell God": A Study of Edwin Arlington Robinson.

These lectures will be held in the Horace Mann auditorium on Sunday afternoons at four o'clock throughout the month of February.

### Mr. Smith Presents Enjoyable Assembly

Film "Caravan to Tibet"  
Reveals Why Orient  
Is Fascinating.

After seeing Nicol Smith's film, "Caravan to Tibet," it is easy to understand why the Orient holds such a deep fascination. Drawing from his complete knowledge of the subject and by the use of his colored film, he presented one of the most enjoyable assemblies of the year.

The speaker's destination on this expedition was the Hidden Valley of Tibet that James Hilton speaks of in his book, "Lost Horizon." Mr. Smith echoed much of Hilton's description of the Hidden Valley.

### New Ruler Is Only Four

Several years ago the seventy year old ruler of Tibet called a few of his people before him and told them the exact day and hour that he would die. He also informed them to wait a given length of time and then go to a house, which he designated, and a woman with a mole on her cheek would answer the door. They were to go on past her to a back room in the house where a child would be playing on the floor, which would be himself. They were to take the child back with them and put him on the throne. Today this four year old child is his ruler.

Mr. Smith remarked that many times on this trip into Tibet the country was much the same as is found in Arizona. Because the altitude was high and the traveling rough, they were able to keep each caravan of pack animals only three days. At the end of this time the animals were completely worn out.

Film Shows People Leaving  
The speaker pointed out that even in this far away place there are positive signs of communists and their work. His film showed a group of persons who were leaving while they still could.

With the aid of the film, a perfect picture of the people and their habits were given. In one instance he related, "We came upon a group of people who never take a bath from birth to death. We gave them a wide berth."

While visiting the King and Queen of Tibet he was presented with a royal gift. This gift was two terriers that are found only in that country. They were small enough to ride in a person's pocket.

### Alpha Sigs Initiate Pledges

Pledges of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority of the fall quarter 1948 who completed their pledge tests and were formally initiated are the following: Marjorie McGee, Virginia Elliott, Phyllis Phillips, Martha Clymens, Pat Patton, Norrine Norris, Marilyn House, Donna Burks Joanne Wright, Virginia McGinness, Marie Youngren and Mary Lou Queek.

Miss Estella Bowman, who was injured in a fall at school yesterday, is at her home, 118½ West Sixth.

### College Women Find Biology Laboratory Place of Interest Despite Many Cats

A rumor has been going around the College the past week or so about cats. An investigation has disclosed the fact that Mr. W. T. Garrett's comparative anatomy class is the source. Students in his anatomy class have plenty of cats; in fact each member has his own personal cat with which to experiment.

Mr. Garrett, chairman of the biology department, explains that dissecting a cat is just a part of the course. The cats are supplied by the biological supply company of Chicago and purchased by the state.

"No," says Mr. Garrett, "the cats do not discourage women from taking the course. About one-third of the biology majors are women."

Each spring the high school seniors of this district have an opportunity to visit the College and see classes in action. Upon one tour through the biology laboratory a student in an anatomy class was dissecting a cat. Classmates were gathered around watching the process intently. Suddenly two high school visitors of the weaker sex

sent up a screech that was heard throughout the College. No one paid any attention to the young things, not even the pert little blonde who was dissecting the cat, according to Mr. Garrett.

The students of the comparative anatomy class dissect several forms of mammals during their study, the cat being the most complicated. About twelve to twenty of each species are used a year, depending upon the size of the class.

"After the first two or three days women become as interested in the class as men, although all of us dislike the odor at times," says Mr. Garrett.

Dr. Mueller Speaks at Bedford  
Dr. Irene M. Mueller, of the biology department, speaks at the Bedford high school chapel, Bedford, Iowa, this morning on the subject, "At Your Choice." She went there last night and will be back in Maryville tonight.

### Program Includes Exotic Ensemble

Six Will Perform During  
Evening of Colorful  
Dance Varieties.

### Savoy Has Act Six Weeks

Dancer La Meri Is Recognized  
Throughout Stage World;  
Heads Own School.

La Meri, ambassadress of the international dance, will appear with her Exotic Ensemble at the College auditorium, Monday, February 7, 8:15 p. m.

Six dancers will offer a variety of numbers on the program. La Meri will be seen in a classic Chinese dance wearing a costume of unusual beauty. She will also dance Japanese court dances, sensuous dances of Spain, and others.

Three talented young dancers known as the Exotic Ensemble will present several numbers. Among them are a temple dance with a tradition of several centuries, dances of north Africa, and Mexico, witty pantomimic sketches of Spain and the Orient.

Costumes Are Authentic  
Costumes for the evening's entertainment are authentic to the land they represent.

La Meri has given more than 200 performances in India, Java, China, the Philippines and Burma, and more than 100 performances in Australia. In London, England, she broke all records with her 23 consecutive performances in six weeks at the Savoy Theatre. She has made three triumphal tours of South American countries.

### Establishes Dance Center

More recently La Meri has been recognized as an important figure in today's capital of the world, New York. She has established a dance center there which includes a private theater where performances are part of the curriculum of the four-year graduate course in ethnologic dance.

As on a magic carpet La Meri and her Exotic Ensemble take their audience to distant lands. The dancers are fascinating, of infinite variety and never failing in grace and charm.

### New Senators Are Sworn Into Office

Herman Hausheer Heads  
Committee Revising  
College Handbook

New senators sworn in at the Student Senate meeting Tuesday night were Bob Mann and Mack Miller, seniors; Melville Sigons, junior; and Alice Ruth Wharton, sophomore. Bob Guthland, freshman, was absent. This meeting was held in the Bearcat Den.

Because of Mr. John Taylor's inability to meet with the Senate on Tuesday nights, the meeting time has been changed to Thursday night of each week.

Hausheer Heads Handbook Study  
Herman Hausheer is the new chairman of the committee that is revising the handbook. Other members of the committee are Jean Bush, Marlon Freeman, and Ken McMillen.

Mack Miller and Bob Mann are co-chairmen on the committee for Clean-up Day in the spring. Other members of the committee are Melville Strong, Ken McMillen, and Bob Guthland. This committee will divide the campus into sections and each organization on the campus will have a particular division to clean.

Students May Dance in Den  
Tables and chairs have been moved out of the south part of the Bearcat Den in order that students who want to dance there during the afternoon may do so.

Members of the Alpha Phi Omega fraternity were granted permission to start work on a faculty-student directory. The directory will be mimeographed and will sell for approximately ten cents.

Permission was granted the Tower staff for use of the chairs and tables from the Bearcat Den at the Tower dance, January 15.

Intermediate Club was granted a concession at a basketball game at their preferred date.

It was decided to leave the lounge furniture in the Bearcat Den until the lounge is painted. An awning for the east door was again discussed.

Lynn Cross Arrives in Everest  
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cross of Everest, Kansas, are the parents of a baby girl born to them December 20. They have named their daughter, Lynn. Mr. Cross is an alumnus and former basketball star of the College. He is now coaching in the Everest, Kansas, high school.

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## THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to judge a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us.

## TO RETAIN HONOR

People of Maryville and out of town guests will judge members of the student body by their conduct at plays, athletic events, and other occasions when the general public is in attendance. The conduct of any one student will reflect upon the entire student body. Therefore, it is the responsibility of each to conduct himself properly at all times.

We should always be especially considerate of others. While attending activities having definite seating patterns, it should always be remembered that the people behind us want to see also. It is rude to obstruct the view.

Many social events at the College are attended by some chaperones. At such occasions, several couples should be definitely responsible for the entertainment of the chaperones and guests of honor. To see that the chaperones have an enjoyable time, however, should be the responsibility of every member of the group.

One of the most important things to be learned in college life is how to get along with others. Consideration, adaptability, a sense of humor and a knack for neatness are requisites before group activities can function properly.

Reputation for reserve, good manners, and dependability will go toward smoothing the way for us and placing us in a favorable light in the eyes of our associates. It can be noticed that the campus leaders are students who are cheerful and at all times courteous to their elders as well as their contemporaries.

## LET'S NOT FORGET THEM

1949 is now initiated. We have heard about the state of the union. There is much to be done this year and in the years to follow. The world is moving fast. We must keep apace!

Let's keep apace, but let's slow down and stop at the right intervals to take account, pay tribute and be grateful. Is it wise to be so caught up in the swirl that we are oblivious of the fundamentals of our society?

January and February mark the birthday anniversaries of numerous noted men. Among them are Franklin, Hamilton, Lincoln and Washington, men of this nation. They are worthy of tribute. Their impact on history can still be felt. They with others set many precedents by which we still abide. The ingrate would say forget history and its characters because today and tomorrow are what should be considered. Someone has said, "You cannot successfully navigate the future unless you keep in mind a small framed picture of the past." That is logic. Let us not forget!

## FRESHMEN WANT TO KNOW

In the eyes of the freshmen, the organizations and clubs on the campus go underground in the fall to reappear only when they have an exclusive dance or a variety show.

Can not the organizations withdraw their iron curtains occasionally to permit others a brief glance within? Surely they can reserve one of their regular meeting dates for all students who may be interested.

An appropriate time for such open houses is January or February after the freshmen have become acquainted and know that organizations exist on the campus. Freshmen would like to know which clubs are really active and which ones are idly dying.

One objective in attending college is to develop socially. How can this objective be attained with the organizations and clubs in hiding?

—Robert Lister.

Military Editor Is  
Lecturer on CampusMr. H. Baldwin Discusses  
World Powers: Russia,  
United States.

"We must keep our eyes on the stars of tomorrow, but our feet in the mud of today," was the advice of Hansch Baldwin, military analyst for the New York Times.

Mr. Baldwin addressed the student body last Friday morning concerning the political issue, "The United States versus Russia." It was the journalist's opinion that the American people must get used to living in a crisis and be quick to welcome any easing of tension between Russia and the United States. He insisted that the general public is disillusioned because there is no complete solution to the international problem on communism.

Must Take Firm Stand  
"We must take a firm, not provocative stand in the world government," advised the newspaperman. "It's suicide to transfer power controlled by two great nations to a U. N. which cannot agree on principle much less on government."

He sketched communism as still on the forward march and Russians as thriving on wars, disorders, and bloodshed. He doubted Russia's possessing the atomic bomb until 1952, but warned that the "cold war" is a hot state of conflict from which no spot in the world is immune.

In comparing the two super powers of the world, the writer pointed out social, economic, religious, and military differences. "Differences in the conception of human values are vast," he explained. "In Asia, life is cheap, dignity little. The gap may be bridged, but not easily."

He presented the following facts to show comparative strength. If a war were to erupt, Russia occupies the largest land mass—many times larger than the United States; Russia maintains a gigantic land army—about 175 divisions to United States' 10 divisions; Russia is a reservoir of untapped resources—the United States produces six million tons more ore in 1913 than the larger nation will have produced in 1950; the United States controls the sea-power and is stockpiling atomic bombs.

Far East Is Puzzling  
Mr. Baldwin complimented the counter offensive set up against communism in Greece, but was puzzled as to the future of the Far East. "There are three trends possible to result in China," he reasoned. "We may expect peace with the communists as rulers, temporary divide between communists and free states, or a reversion to provincial government."

He outlined a program for world government by rehabilitation and restoration of power—a policy for selling democracy to Europe. "The correspondent outlawed isolation and force, but praised the conquest of power on a world wide basis."

"Look on danger without being afraid," the speaker advised.

Disciplinary Problems  
Head Discussion List

Disciplinary problems was the subject under discussion at the student teacher seminar led by Mr. H. R. Dieterich last week at the Horace Mann auditorium.

"Disciplinary problems, some of the ways in which they were brought about, and how they might have been avoided by good teaching and good teacher management were illustrated in a movie shown at the beginning of the hour.

Following the movie, Mr. Dieterich led a general group discussion on how to maintain good discipline in the school room. He gave many examples and illustrations drawn from his personal experience as a school administrator.

Thursday's seminar program was presented by the Future Teachers of America, at which time Mr. Skalka, superintendent of Maryville-High School, spoke to the student teachers.

"Subsequent programs will deal with such topics as 'Informality in the Classroom,' 'The School Redistricting Program,' and 'Grading.'"

Mr. Brown Visits High  
School on College Day

Mr. Everett Brown, director of field service department, went to Kansas City for the annual College Day in North Kansas City high school.

Mr. Brown assisted in the interviewing of the school's senior students in regard to further education in college. The meeting was sponsored by North Kansas City high school and was held on January 13.

## Schottel Goes to Atchison

Ivan Schottel, former football star and a graduate of the College, has been appointed athletic coach and physical education instructor, in the Atchison, Kansas, high school.

During the past gridiron season Mr. Schottel played professional football with the Detroit Lions. During the war he was in the armed forces four years. He taught two years at Bolckow.

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## Fall Quarter Honor Students

Allan, James Ray  
Anderson, Evelyn Elaine  
Atkins, Jr., Lefty T.  
Awe, Herbert L.  
Bast, Mary Belle  
Bluhm, William D.  
Bolts, Robert Paul  
Breckenridge, Willa R.  
Burger, Shirley E.  
Bush, Jean  
Carter, Catherine L.  
Carter, Dorothea M.  
Cascio, Robert V.  
Clark, Paul A.  
Claus, Norman I.  
Coleman, Melvin G.  
Collier, Joe E.  
Combs, Phyllis  
Corn, Virginia R.  
Coss, Dale  
Courtney, James  
Cramer, Iva Pauline  
Curry, Betty F.  
Dorster, Charles  
Doan, Marcelline  
Dwyland, Birney  
Eberhart, Donald  
Fetting, William  
Ford, Margaret  
Fry, Kenneth R.  
Gillispie, Doris E.  
Grace, Darrell  
Grace, Marilyn  
Grant, William  
Gray, Wanda  
Grimit, Elbert D.  
Guthland, Robert E.  
Hackman, Dorothy  
Hainey, James  
Hall, Richard D.  
Hartley, Curtis L.  
Harvey, Donna  
Hauser, Shirley J.  
Hausheer, Joseph  
Henningsen, Allen C.  
Holbrook, Ruth M.  
Hull, Irma L.  
Johnson, Beverly  
Kibur, Kenneth  
Kieser, Ralph  
Klingey, Max  
Klang, Floyd  
Lemmon, Francis  
Maharg, Hubert  
McDermott, Lois A.  
Merritt, Audrey  
Meyers, Gaylord  
Moffitt, Effie  
Nelson, Marilyn  
Overholser, Earl M.  
Owens, Richard E.  
Pefech, Clifford  
Praisewater, Wanda  
Prindle, Don  
Prtter, Gean P.  
Reed, Dolores  
Richmond, Donald  
Robey, William  
Robinson, Rachel  
Rockwell, Mary Loyce  
Rogers, Lloyd  
Runge, Gilbert  
Rush, Lois Jean  
Schuster, Raymond  
Sherry, Glenn  
Simmons, Lewis  
Simmons, Wayne  
Slaten, Ruth  
Smith, Joyce

Steeve, August  
Stroud, Betty  
Stucki, Ruth Anne  
Teaford, Margaret  
Thompson, Frank  
Tompkins, Verlin  
Turner, Francis  
Twaddle, Melvin  
Willis, Donovan  
Wright, Harvey  
Zink, James

## Honorable Mention

Ashworth, George Maurice  
Ausmus, Kenneth Ray  
Bailey, Barbara Sue  
Belcher, Luther Green  
Bovard, Barbara Jane  
Cowan, T. R.  
Crawford, Phyllis Marie  
Cummings, William  
DePriest, Elizabeth R.  
Dressler, Diane  
Elliott, Richard Lee  
Elliott, Virginia Ruth  
Felton, Mary Margaret  
Ford, Juanita J.  
Freel, Herman D.  
Freeman, Marion B.  
Fryar, Rex W.  
Gabbert, Delbert E.  
Gordon, Richard L.  
Grace, Donald  
Gunderman, Loren T.  
Hall, Harold  
Hoover, Lester L.  
Hudson, Betty J.  
Hunsicker, June R.  
Huntsman, Francis J.  
Jenkins, Roy B.  
Johnson, Frank  
Judy, Shirley  
King, Marlene  
Laughlin, Mary L.  
Lister, Robert C.  
Marinos, Nicholas  
Masters, Joanne  
Meringhi, Frank P.  
Nixon, Ray  
Pegues, David  
Pitts, Helen  
Polk, Bonnie  
Price, John M.  
Richardson, Helen  
Robinson, Thelma  
Schettie, William  
Scott, Mary Virginia  
Shelton, Earl  
Sherer, Marion  
Sheumaker, Julia  
Silver, George  
Simmons, Donald  
Sisk, Mahlon  
Sotteau, Pierre  
Spire, Helen  
Stafford, Thelma  
Steel, Carolyn  
Stephenson, Varonica  
Stonner, Frank  
Thompson, Eva  
Thompson, Norma J.  
Walker, Dorothy  
Walcher, Gilmer  
Welchinger, Lloyd  
Wescott, Lavonne  
Wilson, Betty  
Wollen, Howard  
Wood, Donald  
Wright, Mary Joanne

Pierre Sotteau Will  
Participate in Meeting

Pierre Sotteau, senior from Lyon, France, has accepted the invitation of the department of history at Park College, Parkville, to participate as a resource leader in a conference on "Europe: Crucible of War or Peace" to be held on February 25-26. He will lead discussions on "The Significance of Present Day Party Struggles in France" and "France and the Ruhr." For the first topic, Pierre will have Burns Chalmers, American Friends College Representative from Philadelphia office, to share the discussion burden with him on the first day. Two German exchange students will cooperate on the second topic with him on the second day.

Pierre gave a lecture in English on the Cathedral of Chartres at a meeting of the French club of Park College last fall. It was Dr. Bunker of the French department of that College who recommended him to the department of history.

Miss Franken Directs  
Units in Case Studies

Miss Katherine Franken of the education department is having her students take case studies in both child and adolescent psychology. In every unit in each of the courses, contents of that unit are brought out as they apply to the individual cases, which are selected by the students themselves among their own relatives and friends.

In child psychology, the sleeping, eating and eliminative habits, the social life, the emotional adjustment and personality in general of each case are taken up. Regarding adolescent psychology, Miss Franken said, "We begin courses in adolescent psychology by having the students describe and analyze their early regional culture and show to what extent it is responsible for their present attitudes, ideals and conduct."

Mr. John Taylor Gives  
First Talk in Series

Mr. John S. Taylor, of the social science department, held a question and answer period after his informal talk on dating on January 17, the first of a series of discussions held at Residence Hall. Future meetings will be held on Monday evenings at 8:30 p. m. in the small dining room. Discussions are open to all girls living in the Hall. Miss Mabel Cook, of the home economics department, will help with the talks in the future.

## Wins Magazine Honor

"Alcan Highway to Alaska," written by Mrs. Gertrude Smith Puckett, teacher of Grade 5 in the Savannah public schools, has won honorable mention in the 1948 Travel Contest of The Instructor. Her manuscript will be published this spring.

Mrs. Puckett received her life diploma from the College in 1925.

Lynn Paper Describes Ceremony  
Pierre Sotteau, of Lyon, France, recently received a newspaper clipping from his family, describing the ceremony in which the University of Lyon conferred on Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt the honorary degree of docteur es lettres (doctor of letters). Mrs. Roosevelt received this degree at the formal session of the University, followed by a luncheon and a reception.

Robert Mann Is New Senator  
Robert Mann is the senior senator who replaces Dorothy Adams. Bob, son of Mrs. Roene Benson, Weston, is majoring in social science and minoring in commerce. He is a member of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity and the Interfrat council. Bob was married to the former Barbara McGee of Ottumwa, Iowa, last August.

Donald Ray Is Name of Grandson  
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Riedinger of Osceola, Iowa, have chosen the name, Donald Ray, for their son born December 12. Mrs. Riedinger, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Strong of the College faculty, is a member of the Class of '48. She taught home economics two years in high school at Osceola.

Prepare for Track Season  
Twenty six men reported to E. A. Davis, chairman of the men's physical education department, for early conditioning and practice for this year's track and field team. Friday, January 7, Mr. Davis expects more to report before and after the basketball season ends.

## the World Smiles

During the fall quarter Mary Neville, of Savannah, took Speech 51 here at the College. Her mother, Mrs. Veda Neville, took the same course in an extension class held at the court house in Savannah every Saturday afternoon. According to Mrs. Ramona Canton, instructor in the classes, cheerful dispositions made them both popular students. Like mother, like daughter.

## The Stroller

Will someone tell the Stroller when Joyce King and Ralph Bland ARE feeding and fussing?

Have you seen all the new rings? Margaret Berry, Marcella Youngren, Shirley Judy, Vee Oyerly, Phyllis Crawford, Doris Gibson, Phyllis Combs, Jane Bovard, Nellie Sherard?

Some girls got the ring and the man too. Congratulations, Rosemary Feurt and Bill Ham.

It is rumored that wedding bells are sounding in the near future for Joy Lee Corbin and Matt McDowell.

Attention—more changes for the Green Hornet. An improvised heater made from a part of an automobile radiator!

The Stroller was walking down the hall on third floor a couple of Mondays ago and noticed doves flying over none other than W. R. Moody and Jean Bressler. Jim Malson is flying high too, air hostess and all. Nothing like being prepared for emergencies.

Phil Denver was seen in St. Joseph in one of the local department stores trying to exchange a sweater. Wonder whether the plaid is the original or the exchange!

Inter Frat Council had a special meeting last week. The Topic was "How long a Fellow Can Keep his NEW frat Pin?" This information was requested by Sam Carpenter.

Beware everyone! Traffic signs aren't needed on the College drive; they are needed on the stairs at the dorm to protect the Stroller and other innocent bystanders from the 5:30 onslaught to the dining room!

Jack Keep has been heard to say that he will not start to Mound City in his Ford without an extra water pump and a fan.

Proceed cautiously through the library. All freshmen are working, really working on their term papers.

Charlie Vest rates this column. He is back in school.

The Deltas not only have a new system of dancing—blind, that is—but also a new recipe for hay fever—the Snow Festival.

The Stroller hears Katie Barman's and Bob Brobech's names linked.

The big question of the week? How can students run the "obstacle course" in order to get to their classes in the Industrial Arts building? That "slit trench" followed by the "pipe-hurdle" is certainly too much for the Stroller.

## Calendar

January 19, Wednesday	Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00—Room 120-121	Delta Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—Room 101	Basketball—4:00-6:00—Room 113	Sigma Tau Gamma—Den—7:00-9:00	Basketball—5:00-6:00—H. M. Gymnasium	January 20, Thursday	W. A. A.—7:00-9:00—Room 114	Basketball—4:00-6:00—Room 113	Alpha Psi Omega—7:00-9:00—Room 103	Recreation Night Open House—Main Gymnasium—7:00-9:30	H. M. Gymnasium—Basketball—4:00-6:00	Swimming Club—Pool—7:00-8:30	January 21, Friday	Basketball—4:00-6:00—Room 113	Basketball—H. M. Gymnasium—5:00-6:00	January 22, Saturday	Phi Sigma Epsilon Pledge Dance—Country Club	Basketball Game—Cape Girardeau—Here	January 24, Monday	W. A. A.—7:00-9:00—Room 114	Basketball—4:00-6:00—Room 113	String Ensemble—7:00-9:00—Room 205	Basketball Game—Rockhurst—There	National Guard	Basketball—H. M. Gymnasium—5:00-6:00	January 25, Tuesday	Alpha Psi Omega—7:00-8:30—Room 120	Basketball—4:00-6:00—Room 113	Agriculture Club—7:15-9:15—Room 222	Recreation Night Open House—Main Gymnasium—7:00-9:30	Basketball—H. M. Gymnasium—4:00-6:00	January 26, Wednesday	Delta Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—Room 101	Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00—Rooms 120-121	Basketball—4:00-6:00—Room 113	Sigma Tau Gamma—7:00-9:00—Den	Assembly—Foreign Students Club—10:00	Basketball—H. M. Gymnasium—5:00-6:00	New Books in Library	Who's Paying for This Cab, Alan Dean.	One Dozen Roses, Carl Rose.	Laughs From The Saturday Review of Literature, Saturday Review of Literature, (per).	Woodworking for Everybody, John G. Shea, and P. N. Wanger.	The Collecting of Antiques, Esther Singleton.	The Art of Judging Music, Virgil Thomson.	Handbook of Radio Writing, Erik Barnouw.	Chess and Checkers, Edward Lasker.	Best Sports Stories, Irving T. Marsh, editor.	Allegro: A Musical Play, Rodgers Richard and Hammerstein.	Talks to Women's Group	President J. W. Jones talked to the Business and Professional Women's organization, Monday, January 10. Dr. Jones discussed vocations and education.	Patronize Missourian Advertisers.
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## Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority Entertains

Ann Curnutt Is Presiding Hostess at Annual Tea Given for Mothers.

Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Curnutt with their annual Christmas Mother-Daughter tea, Friday, December 17. Ann Curnutt was presiding hostess.

Christmas decorations prevailed on the outside and inside of the house. The centerpiece for the lace-covered tea table was large red roses surrounded with greens and all Christmas bulb ornaments. Seated at the table were Mrs. Robert Kuchs, patroness; Mrs. John Mauzey, sponsor; Miss Jessie Jutten, sponsor, and Ann Curnutt. Joanne Wright presided as mistress of ceremonies for the program. She read the letter "Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus." Carolyn Melke led group singing of Christmas carols. She was accompanied by Anne Masters. A parody on "Twelve Night Before Christmas," written by Joanne Wright, was read by Lou Queck. A gift exchange followed the program. The mothers were presented gold pull-box size emblems with the Alpha Sigma Alpha crest.

Chairmen of the committees in charge of the tea were Mary Frances Bonnette, invitations; Pat Smith, catering; Doris J. Hamilton, food; Ruth Wharton, replenishing; Thelma Edie, program; Lucille Lawrence, gifts; and Mary Doran, music. Kathryn Krause is the vice president of the sorority. A silver offering was taken for the first toward a future Alpha Sigma Alpha house on the campus.

## Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Osburn, Sr., Savannah, announce the engagement of their daughter Beverly Jean, to Mr. Tony Rizzo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rizzo, 1706 1/2th Twelfth Street, St. Joseph. Miss Osburn is majoring in physical education and will receive her B. S. degree this spring. Mr. Rizzo is a 1947 graduate of the college. He majored in commerce, mathematics and physical education and is now teaching in the high school at Kellerton, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard M. Gaines, Junction City, Kansas, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Mae, to Dale Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Miller. They are both students at the college. Barbara is a freshman in her year and is majoring in home economics. Dale is a junior and is majoring in agriculture.

The engagement of Miss Nelly O. Gerard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gerard of Fairport, to Mr. Harold (Pete) Swaney has been announced. Harold is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett A. Swaney, 1007 1/2th Buchanan Street. No wedding date as yet has been set. Miss Gerard is a senior at the college and is majoring in English. She will receive her B. S. degree in May.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Combs, of Junction, announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Ann, to Richard Leet, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leet, 619 West Second Street.

Miss Combs is a senior at the college and will complete her work in the close of this quarter. She is majoring in vocational home economics. Mr. Leet was graduated in the Class of 1948 with a major in chemistry. He is now attending University at Columbus, Ohio, where he will receive his Ph. D. degree.

Mrs. Albert Overly, 412 Mill street, Mound City, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Thelma Vee, to Clyde O. Bowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen of Parnell.

Both are students of the College and will graduate in May. Thelma is majoring in physical education and Clyde is majoring in commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Williams of Albany announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Ann, to Donald L. Grace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Grace of Burlington Junction.

Miss Williams, majoring in agriculture, and Mr. Grace, majoring in agriculture engineering, are both sophomores. They have not decided their wedding date.

Mr. Grace's twin characteristics were revealed even in this engagement. Only this summer, Darrell, Donald's twin brother, married Miss Marilyn Williams, who is not related to Betty, although the name of each girl's father is Charles Williams. Marilyn and Darrell also are sophomores at the College.

The engagement of Miss Rachel Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Robinson of 125 North Third Avenue, Villisca, Iowa, to Donald E. Lyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lyle of Maryville, has been announced by her parents.

Both are seniors and will receive their degrees this spring. Rachel is majoring in primary education and is working toward a B. S. degree. Donald is majoring in agriculture and is working toward an A. B. degree.

## Members of Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority Have Informal Tea



Alpha Sigs in the above picture are a group who attended the informal tea at the home of Miss Ann Curnutt. Seated at the table are Miss Curnutt, left, and Mrs. Albert Kuchs, patroness, right. Standing, left to right, are Sergio Fries, Pat Smith, Alice Wharton, Kathryn Krause, Beverly Johnson, and sponsors, Mrs. John Mauzey, and Miss Jessie Jutten.

is majoring in primary education and is working toward a B. S. degree. Donald is majoring in agriculture and is working toward an A. B. degree.

Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean of Maryville announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lou, to Orville Adams Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Adams Sr., of St. Joseph. The wedding will take place in the summer.

Orville is a junior at the College, majoring in history and minoring in sociology. Mrs. Effie Thompson of Burlington Junction announces the engagement of her daughter, Eva Lene, to Harold Reynolds, son of Mr. Ralph Reynolds of Maryville. Plans for the wedding have not been made.

Miss Thompson is a sophomore, majoring in mathematics and minoring in commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hagee, 1209 East First Street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patsy Ann, to Robert A. Osburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Osburn, Savannah. They plan to be married late this spring. Both Patsy and Bob are sophomores at the college.

## Ag Club Orders Special Emblem for New Jackets

After a long and serious discussion, the members of the College Agriculture Club finally decided upon a jacket and an emblem to represent their club on this campus. The regular meeting was held Tuesday, January 11, at which time fifteen members settled the issue. Ed Daken, secretary of the club, submitted an emblem that was chosen in preference to many others. The order has been placed with the B & W Sporting Goods store, but it will be several weeks before delivery can be made. A special dye must be cast for the emblem which will take quite some time. The members seem assured that these jackets will be the most distinctive seen on the campus in many years.

## Sigma Sigma Sigmas Have Gift Exchange at Party

Sigma Sigma Sigma actives and pledges celebrated the Christmas season with a party held at the chapter house, 523 West Fourth Street. Gifts were exchanged between mothers and daughters. The faculty sponsor, Miss June Cozine, received a gift from the girls.

Songs written by the pledges were sung by them. Cokes, apples and popcorn were served to the guests.

## Service Fraternity Has Initiation and Banquet

Alpha Phi Omega held its formal pledge initiation Thursday evening, January 13, at which time a banquet was given. The new members are Jim Arbogast, Joe Johnson, Jack Price, Daryl Johnson, Howard Hepburn, Nick Marinos, Abelardo Patton, Jesse Masters, Bill Graham, Millard Hainey and Richard Maxon.

Approximately fifty members were present, including the faculty advisers. The social committee provided the evening's entertainment and was headed by George Silver and Loren Workman.

Send Tax Returns to St. Joseph. All state income tax returns from northwest Missouri, which includes this vicinity, should be addressed to the Department of Revenue, Income Tax Unit, City Hall, St. Joseph.

Jeanne Has Accident. Jeanne Hatfield, freshman from Clarinda, Iowa, returned from vacation with her arm in a sling as a result of a fall.

## Queen of Tower and Four Attendants Reign Over Traditional Formal Festivity

Five beautiful girls were voted on Saturday night at the Tower dance as candidates for the honored role as Tower Queen.

Elected by the couples who attended the Tower dance, the Queen was announced by trumpets soon after the program at intermission. She and her attendants ruled over the annual formal dance.

Queen candidates were Margaret Berry, Shirley Burger, Julie Polton, Pat Smith, and Lois Walker.

Margaret Berry, light haired and blue eyed, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cole A. Berry. Margaret is a senior and has physical education as a major and music as a minor. Her hobby is collecting phonograph records. Margaret is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, Swimming Club, W. A. A., and a member of the Coeducational Recreation program this quarter.

Shirley Burger, who combines efficiency with her attractiveness, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Burger, Van Meter, Iowa. Shirley is a senior and has vocational home economics as a major. Her hobbies are sewing and sports. Shirley is a member of the Kappa Omicron Phi fraternity, Barksdale, and Independent Club.

Julie Polton, known as a friend to all, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Polton, Tabor, Iowa. Julie has elementary education as a major and is a sophomore this year. She is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, A. C. E. and Residence Hall Council.

Pat Smith, Gay and attractive Pat Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Smith, Maryville. Pat is a sophomore and has physical education as a major and speech as a minor. Pat is a member of the Green and White Peppers, Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority, and Dance Club.

Lois Walker, Demure, dark haired Lois Walker, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. G. Walker. Lois is a junior and has a biology major and English minor. She is a member of the Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority and especially likes dancing and music.

## Tri Sigmas Take Eleven Into Active Membership

Eleven pledges of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority were initiated into the Alpha Epsilon chapter of the national organization Sunday morning, December 12, at the chapter house on West Fourth Street.

After the ceremony, actives and pledges attended services at the Christian church. Large white chrysanthemums tied with royal purple ribbons were presented to the new actives by their "mothers."

New active members of the sorority are Joyce Smith, Louise Chaney, Patsy Asman, Phyllis Crawford, Barbara Gaines, Jeanne Hatfield, Lois McDermott, Frances Richards, Barbara Robertson, Mary Jo Vernon and Roberta Walker.

## Kappa Omicron Phi Has Founder's Day Banquet

Twenty-four members of Kappa Omicron Phi participated in the carol singing, gift exchange and candlelighting ceremony at the annual Founders Day dinner held at the Home Management house, December 11.

Food committee members were Phyllis Combs, Peggy Ford, Thelma Palma. Table decorations were supervised by Betty Chaudler and Shirley Burger. Lavonne Wescott and Virginia Snowberger were in charge of the program.

## Alpha Phi Omega Frat Has Annual Convention

Alpha Phi Omega held their tenth annual convention at La Salle Hotel, in Chicago, December 28, 29, and 30. Gordon Benet and Gordon Bixler were the delegates attending the convention from the College.

It was decided that the Alpha Phi Omega would extend its chapters outside the boundaries of the United States. The fraternity now has 176 chapters, representing every state in the union.

Gordon Benet was on the project committee. Gordon Bixler was recorder for the National Project Committee, which was the major committee of the convention, because it was they who decided to extend Alpha Phi Omega in countries other than the United States.

## Art Students Prepare Clay Work for Display

Many pieces of clay work, made in the fine arts class under the direction of Miss Olive S. DeLoach, have been displayed in the showcase on second floor.

Some of the best pieces of clay work are "Young Horse," by Wilhelm Edie; "Nude," by Irene Toland; "Woman Washing Her Hair," by Charlene Welsh, and "Cow," by Shirley Voracek. Others were a bas-relief of "Unicorn," by James Hill; "The Last Republican," by Walter Patterson; "Monk," by Jewel Rice; "Sugar Bowl and Milk Pitcher," by Mary Virginia Scott; "Opera Singer," by Robert Wigginton; and "Fireplace Tile," by Berta Escarra.

Members of the class also modeled jewel and cigarette boxes, modeled vases with a potter's wheel, and carved linoleum blocks, which they used to print Christmas cards.

## Attend Fletcher Funeral

Mr. Lon Wilson, dean of men, Coach Ryland Milner and Paul Gates, Class of 1948, attended funeral services for Charles Robert Fletcher at Holton, Kansas, December 12.

Mr. Fletcher, a member of the 9th Air Corps, was killed over Germany during World War II. He attended the College from 1940-1942.

## Students Discuss Philosophy

Dr. Blanche Dow, chairman of the foreign language department, presided at the first of a series of philosophic discussions, Tuesday, January 4, 4 p. m., Room 119. Approximately 25 students participated. Point of departure for the discussion was Plato's Apology.

# WARD'S LUNCH BOX

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## Sigma Taus Attend National Conclave

Three Members Represent Local Chapter During Two Day Convention.

Chicago was host to the biennial national conclave of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity held during the Christmas holidays. Delegates met in the Del Prado Hotel to discuss national policy and expansion plans for the next two years.

Thirty-two fraternity officials attended, representing chapters located throughout the United States. Other Sigma Tau members accompanied their delegates, making more than one hundred present at the national meeting.

Business meetings and discussion panels dominated the first two days of the convention. Evening entertainments included a smoker and a banquet. A final business meeting was held on Thursday to record the vote on resolutions and to elect the grand council members and province archons.

Robert Cobb was the delegate from Theta chapter. He was accompanied by Warren Stanton and Don Hoffman. These Taus report that their fraternity is looking forward to a progressive year and has hopes of gaining admission to the national interfraternity conference. If this goal is achieved the planned expansion and inter-progressiveness will be well under way.

## Tri Sig Sorority Will Have Annual Sock Dance

Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority will entertain with its annual sock dance on Friday, January 21, at 8 p. m. in the Administration building.

Committees appointed by the president, Joan Miller, are as follows: program committee, Phyllis Combs, Roberta Walker, Jeanne Hatfield; refreshment committee, Betty Davis, Barbara Gaines, Lavonne Wescott; decorations, Mary Loyce Roscwell, Pat Asman, Joyce Smith, Lois McDermott.

## Residence Hall Renews Former Social Activity

For the first time in several years, Residence Hall, through the courtesy of Mrs. Nell Thompson and Miss Donald Morrison, was the scene of a Christmas dance for the students living in the Hall and Quads.

Students danced in the dining hall to recorded music. Cokes were served to all.

After the dance a Christmas party was held under the tree in the lobby. The girls sang carols and helped Santa, who got in even if it was after ten-thirty.

## Have Annual Chili Supper

An annual chili supper was held by the Intermediate Club at Miss Mary M. Keith's apartment on West Third Street just before the holidays. Table decorations were candles and favors. After refreshments, gifts were exchanged. Miss Keith was presented with a gift from the club. Twenty-two members attended the party.

## College Weddings

**Feurt-Ham**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Feurt, of Jameson, announce the marriage of their daughter, Rosemary, to Mr. Bill M. Ham, son of Mrs. Cecil Ham, 309 West Fourth, Maryville, Saturday, January 8.

The young couple plan to go to Anchorage, Alaska, where Mr. Ham is employed.

Both the bride and groom were students at the College. A shower was held at the home of Martha Hill in honor of the bride on January 7.

**Gold-Corken**  
Mrs. Eleanor Cox Gold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Cox of Burlington Junction, and Mr. Jerry Lee Corken, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Corken, also of Burlington Junction, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon, January 2. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Reverend W. E. Wadell at the Christian Church in Burlington Junction.

Mr. Corken attended the College and was a member of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity. Since then, Mr. Corken has received his B. S. degree in business administration from the University of Missouri. He is now residing in Kansas City, where he is associated with Sears, Roebuck and Company.

**Silver-Silver**  
Mrs. Stanley Peal, Cincinnati, Ohio, announces the marriage of her daughter Barbara to Irving Silver December 26. The ceremony took place in Hotel Alms, Cincinnati.

Mrs. Silver has accepted a position on the College staff as a health department nurse. Mr. and Mrs. Silver will live in the apartment at Residence Hall which was recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wormsley.

**Caldwell-Hall**  
Miss Joann Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Caldwell of St. Joseph became the bride of Mr. R. D. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall also of St. Joseph, December 19. The ceremony took place at three o'clock in the Francis Street Methodist Church in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Hall was a sophomore in the College last year. Mr. Hall is a senior social science major at the College and will receive his degree this year. They are now living at 203 1/2 West Cooper Street, in Maryville.

## Five Kappa Omicron Phi Pledges Become Active

Five pledges of Kappa Omicron Phi were initiated by the officers in the home economics department, January 10.

Pledges who became active are Sergio Fries, Peggy Ford, Effie Moffitt, Leota Shipley and Daisy Schenkel.

After the initiation ceremonies a chili supper was given for the new actives.

## Delta Sigs Honor President

The Delta Sigma sorority held a surprise birthday dinner in honor of their president, Doris Gillespie, at Residence Hall on Sunday, January 9.

## National Guard Men Are Planning Team

Mr. Feyerherm Will Coach State Wide Competitive Basketball Team.

Plans for forming a basketball team to represent the 129th Field Artillery Battalion have been completed, and the local team will enter statewide competition next week. The local battalion is expected to have a strong team as they are drawing from both the College and the local area.

Arlin Feyerherm, acting chairman of the mathematics department, will coach the team. Coach Feyerherm called a practice session last week and held a theory class before beginning scrimmages. According to Coach Feyerherm, the team will practice a minimum of four times a week and will be in top condition for beginning of league play.

Young and aggressive Feyerherm played prep ball at Holbrook, Nebraska, and was active in basketball at the University of Minnesota. He graduated from the University of Iowa.

The first game was played Friday night, January 14, in the College gymnasium. The local team will play home games with the 35th Signal Co., the 110th Engineers, the 180th Bomb Sq., and the 205th Med. Battalion. Games away will be against Co. A 205th Med. Bn., the 35th Signal Co., and the 180th Bomb Sq.

Local guardsmen trying for the team are as follows: Donald Hoffman, Glenn Sherry, Merlin Holbrook, Norman James, Samuel Ingles, Robert Fisher, Kenneth Kelley, Ronald Van Ryswyk, Wilbur Pollard, Glen Meredith, Marion Freeman, Phil Carter, Carroll McGinness, Phil Denver, William Burnham and Donald Pipes.

## Faculty Members Attend Holt Teachers Meeting

Faculty members participated in the Holt County Teachers Meeting which was held at Mound City, Friday, January 14.

President J. W. Jones gave an address entitled "A 5H Program" Friday morning. Mr. Everett W. Brown presented a film, "Schoolhouse In The Red."

Friday afternoon there were three divisional meetings. Dean M. C. Cunningham was present at the administrators' section. Mr. Paxton Price spoke on "The Use of a Well-Ordered Library in Teaching the Social Science Subjects in High School" to the secondary section. In the elementary section Dr. Clifford L. Bishop directed a panel discussion entitled "Improving Elementary Education Through Community Cooperation."

## Discusses History of Hats

Miss Mabel Cook, instructor in home economics, spoke to the arts and crafts department of the Twentieth Century Club on the history of hats, January 6, at the club house. Members wore old fashioned hats. Mrs. T. F. Reimer won the prize for the best hat displayed.

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## Array of Veterans Bolster the Cape

Captain Al Henningsen Leads Bearcat Team Toward Victory.

## Upton Leads Cape Advance

Maryville Plans to Rise Higher in Loop Standings at Expense of Determined Indians.

Saturday night, January 22, is a date that will be packed with enthusiasm, for on that night a powerful ball club from Cape will arrive in Maryville and attempt to better their record in conference activity at the misfortune of the Bearcats. Cape is always a strong club and is expected to give the Bearcats all the competition they can handle and possibly a little more.

Rivalry will play an important factor in this game as it always does and regardless of favorites the game is always a thriller from the opening whistle until the final gun. Last year the two teams battled on even terms before capacity crowds before the Indians handed the Bearcats defeat.

Maryville will be up for the game, as will Cape, and when two forces of their strength meet, something has to give, and will.

A little chap by the name of Upton will cause the 'Cats a great deal of trouble all evening, and it is the sentiment of all that victory will depend on stopping the high scoring lad, who twice last year engineered victory for the Indians. Upton has a beautiful jump shot that is almost impossible to stop or block without drawing a foul. The plan of attack will be, most likely, to keep the ball away from the speedy ball-hawk, thus preventing him to score.

On the other hand things at home aren't looking too badly for the Bearcats. Lanky Al Henningsen has completely recovered from an ankle injury and will be ready to continue his hot scoring where he left off. Also working nicely for the host club is old reliable Pete Younger, playing in his third year of school. Younger, last year's scoring ace, has been slightly hampered by a bad knee but is still a main-stay in the Bearcat defense. Younger is potentially a great scorer as he showed in the recent Oklahoma tourney. Paul Butherus, Don Scott, Jim Tanner and a contingent of hard working men will be on hand to meet the Indians and all expectations show that the Bearcats and Indians will be at full strength to trade points in the 'Cat field house on January 22.

## West Texas State Wins Enid Tourney

Cats Win Runner-up Spot; Younger and Wohlford Make Mythical Team.

The Bearcats, playing in their second tournament within a month, managed to keep their winning streak going until they ran into West Texas State in the finals of the Enid, Oklahoma, tournament. The win streak got up to seven straight games when the "Lone Star State" boys whipped them quite handily 58-43. Even at that the team did well to finish in the runner-up spot in the tourney, considering the competition.

The 'Cats defeated North Texas State in the opening game of the tourney, 59-58, and then proceeded to subdue the host team, Phillips University, 57-52.

In the last game the Bearcats were without the services of Al Henningsen, who to date has led the team in scoring. Things might have been different had he been around in top condition.

Jon Wohlford and "Pete" Younger made the all-star team of the tournament. "Pete" Younger is also the co-holder of the title of scoring the most points in a single game, 23 in all. Younger played brilliantly throughout the Enid session.

Second Game	
Maryville (67)	Phillips (62)
Henningsen..... 21	Ware..... 13
Butherus..... 13	Niles..... 8
Wohlford..... 13	Dagg..... 0
Scott..... 2	Jackson..... 1
Younger..... 10	Striker..... 1
Tanner..... 1	Spencer..... 0
Ogelski..... 2	Wylie..... 2
Yurchak..... 0	Brawley..... 5
Sherman..... 0	Ironopolous..... 1
Carmichael..... 0	Jay Strain..... 0
Hanney..... 0	Joe Strain..... 0
Mayer..... 0	
Totals..... 22	Totals..... 18
Half-time score: Maryville 32-21.	
Officials: Knox and Gutteridge.	

Third Game	
West Texas (59)	Maryville (49)
J. Malone..... 3	Tanner..... 1
Kitchens..... 3	Carmichael..... 1
Woods..... 2	Butherus..... 0
Deaton..... 1	Ramsey..... 0
Allen..... 0	Wohlford..... 4
S. Malone..... 2	Sherman..... 0
Simpson..... 3	Scott..... 1
Jackson..... 2	Mayer..... 0
Miller..... 3	Younger..... 9
Cox..... 0	Yurchak..... 0
	Henningsen..... 0
	Ogelski..... 2
Totals..... 20	Totals..... 11

## Sport Scene

With this being the first issue of 1944 I find it appropriate to go back to the old year of 1948 and reminisce through the world of sports.

Michigan's outstanding victory over the Trojans from Southern Cal. ....

... Murray Weir of Iowa U. breaking the conference record by virtue of outscoring Jim McIntyre of Minnesota. .... Phillips Oilers beating Kentucky U. in a American team boasting such cage notables as Kevin O'Shea, Jim McIntyre, Murray Weir, Ralph Beard and a dazzling array of others.

Joe Louis climbing from the floor to hand Jersey Joe Walcott defeat in the eleventh round of a championship fight. .... Louis plans to retire - - - not official as yet. .... Ezzard Charles takes over leading contendership by defeating Violent Ray and later blasting Joe Baki. .... Lee Savold losing to the British heavy-weight champ on a foul after carrying the fight throughout. .... Willie Pep losing his title after complete supremacy for six years. .... Tony Zale knocking out Rocky Graziano to regain his title lost earlier to the Rock. .... Marcel Cerdan of France knocks out Zale to control the title. .... Billy Conn returns to the ring - - - but for how long? .... Walcott wants Louis again.

Cleveland Indians are world's best. .... Bob Lemon of said Indians pitching like the old master himself. .... Bob Feller's failure to live up to expectations. .... The Braves from Boston turning in a near upset. .... Joe DiMaggio is still tops according to the polls. .... Several great rookies make their bids and succeed. .... Great pitching of Gene Bearden in the '48 world series. .... Feller's great disappointment in same series.

Harrison Dillard of the United States flying over the high hurdles to set unimpeachable records. .... Bill Porter of Northwestern upsets Dillard to end reign. .... Willie Steel's excellent broad jumping. .... A hearty congratulation to the entire team representing the U. S. in the Olympics. .... Mel Patton racing 100 yards in the time of 9.3 for a new world's record.

Notre Dame and Michigan keep going undefeated. .... Great play of Stan Heath of Nevada U. .... Van Brocklin of Oregon State. .... Charlie Justice of North Carolina and Dock Walker of S. U. .... Southern Cal's near upset of the Fighting Irish. .... Ohio State starles Michigan. .... Army-Navy game provides unusual thrills. .... Lou Boudreau is athlete of the year.

Impossible would be the adjective to describe the entire sporting thrills, oddities, upsets and major events, but this year finds a very interesting schedule on the agenda. I'll be seeing you!

## Bearcats Face Miners; Locals Seek Victory

The Bearcats will make their third home stand against the Rolla Miners on Friday, Jan. 28. This will be their chance to get well on the win side of the M. I. A. A. ledger. In the two meetings last year the Cats split with the Miners winning at home in one of the best games the team played last year, but lost a heart breaker on the Rolla count—a one point affair.

The team, before the William Jewell game, was sporting a seven game winning streak. Speaking of the Jewell game, it was one of those nights everything went wrong, but the Bearcats have only themselves to blame for that loss because they should have won hands down. Just a mere matter of being out-hustled.

Of late the starting five has consisted of Younger, Wohlford, Henningsen, Tanner and Meyers, a lad who has shown real hustle, something that goes a long way toward making any starting five. Don Scott and Paul Butherus have been called on quite frequently for service.

It is hoped the team has had its bad night for the year with that William Jewell game.

## Mr. R. Gee Is Teaching Fundamentals of Ballet

Dance ballerina, dance! These are the sentiments of Mr. Robert Gee, instructor in Speech 61. The basic fundamentals of ballet are taught and formulate a large portion of the class schedule. Mr. Gee has had a great deal of training in ballet and is highly qualified to teach the art. Regardless of the many spills and sore extremities, the students toil to master the many difficult aerial gymnastics. The class even has an audience, for groups of students have been seen observing the class members in their endeavors.

Attends Press Luncheon Miss Violette Hunter, Northwest Missourian adviser, attended the luncheon given by the Northwest Missouri Press Association at the Hotel Robidoux, St. Joseph, Friday.

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## Kirkville Races Past 'Cats 57-38

Final Half Proves Fatal When Maryville Shows Late in Game.

The Kirkville Bulldogs started slow, kept coming and finally humbled the Maryville Bearcats 57-38 in a thrilling battle that saw the Bearcats leading most of the first half or closely trailing the shorter but fighting Bulldogs.

Maryville took an early 8-2 lead before Kirkville broke from a poor zone defense and started a man-to-man that solved the offense fashioned by the 'Cats. Maryville was unusually cold and could not find the combination to stop the fast-breaking Kirkville although Coach Ryland Milner cleared the bench in the latter stages of the ball game.

With two minutes remaining in the first half of the conference game, Kirkville held an 18-17 lead. Then the bottom fell out of the Bearcat defense, and the Bulldogs raced to a 24-17 half time advantage.

The second half started fairly well for the 'Cats but soon ended in a track meet for the Bulldogs as they literally knocked the bottom out of the basket. The Bearcats fought hard but to no avail and Kirkville advanced their lead to 31-19 before the third quarter ended the onslaught. Maryville showed signs of life shortly after the final quarter started but failed miserably from there on. Kirkville is to be congratulated for a splendid display of offensive basketball. With breaks, the defending conference champions will repeat, although Springfield is riding in the favorite's role at the present time.

Al Henningsen, playing five minutes of the game, found the hoop for two field goals and three free throws for a total of 7 points for the Bearcats. Henningsen also totaled 7.

The box score:	
Kirkville (57)	Maryville (38)
Lewis..... 4	Wohlford..... 1
Daut..... 0	Jones..... 0
Wheat..... 1	Yurchak..... 0
Perry..... 3	Meyers..... 1
Dodd..... 4	Younger..... 2
Nichols..... 0	Sherman..... 1
Sherer..... 2	Henningsen..... 3
Osburn..... 0	Ramsey..... 1
Erzen..... 7	Carmichael..... 1
Piland..... 2	Butherus..... 0
	Scott..... 1
	Wormsley..... 2
Totals..... 23	Totals..... 13
Officials: Ray Dannels, Iowa State; Bud Knox, Des Moines.	
Free throws missed: Kirkville 5; Maryville 4.	
Field goal percent: Kirkville 35; Maryville 26.	

## Maryville Bearcats Will Play Springfield Team

Maryville Bearcats will be host to the strongest team in the M. I. A. A. conference on Saturday, January 29, when they play Springfield at 8:00 p. m. This should prove to be the roughest competition in conference play this year.

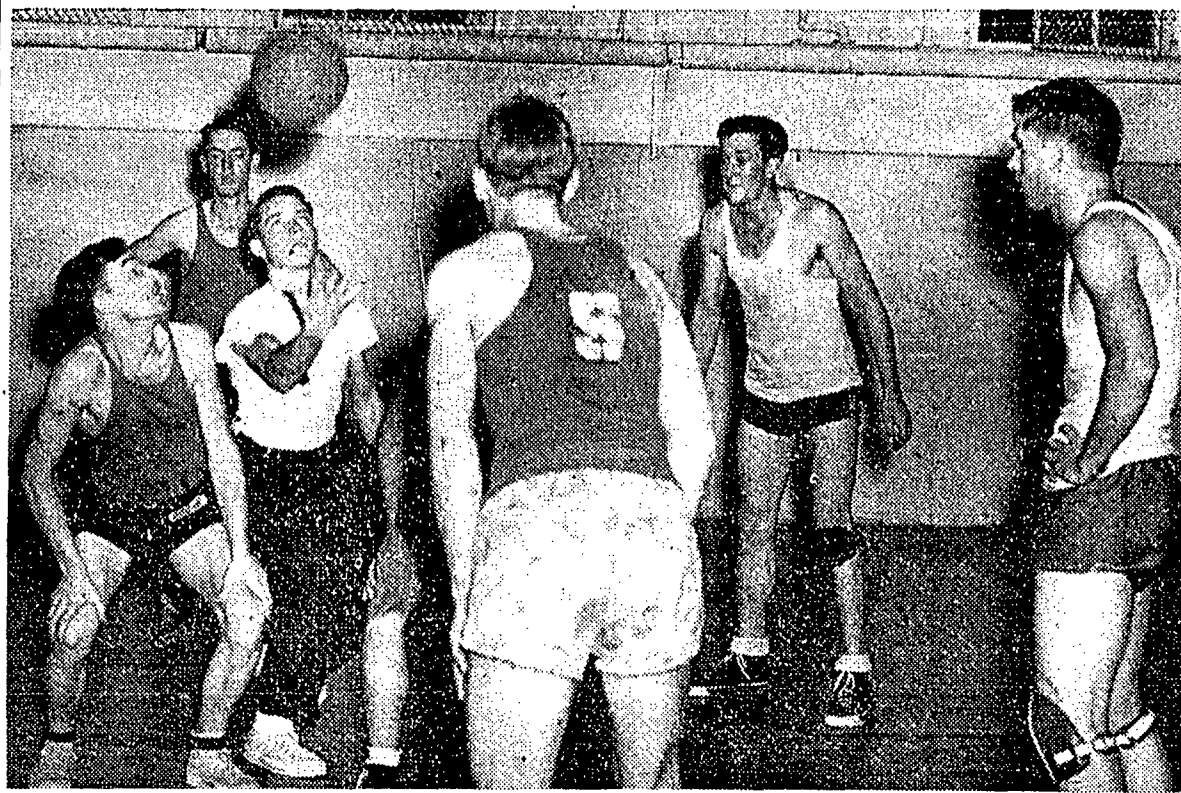
Springfield boasts of many star players, among them a superlative pivot. The Bears use a fast break and when they are pressed they resort to fire wagon ball. The Bearcats will attempt to keep the game slow and deliberate, thus giving them a chance to work their set plays that have been a major factor in Bearcat prowess in the present campaign.

In the lineup for Maryville will be the usual standouts. Al Henningsen will man the post with such fast moving and sharp eyed cagers as Pete Younger, Don Scott, Paul Butherus, Joe Sherman, Jim Tanner, Charles Ramsey, Bud Carmichael and many others to back him up.

Atlantic, Iowa, is represented by five different members on the basketball squad, with Hopkins and Maryville claiming three each. Henningsen, Meyers, Carey, Jones and Christiansen all hail from Atlantic.

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## Intra-Mural Basketball Highlights Program



Intra-mural basketball game shows action. Left to right are Claude Drake, Atlantic, Iowa; Alvin Parkhurst, Hatfield; Richard R. Miller, St. Joseph, official; Dale Jensen, Conception Junction; George Iddings, Pattonburg; and Eldon Wilson, Martinsville.

## Random Shots . . .

We in this corner would like to see the Bearcats have another chance at the Nebraska Cagers on our home floor. The story would be quite different. In fact we believe the Green and White cagers might possibly win the return engagement if it were to take place.

"Whitey" Meyers has shown some real hustle on the basketball court of late. At William Jewell "Whitey" scored a couple of fielders when they really meant something. The only trouble was that some of his teammates were napping. "Whitey" may draw a starting assignment in the next contest.

The Springfield cage team seems to be the likely champions in the M. I. A. A., at least the team to beat. Kirkville, the defending champion, may find things a little tough this year.

Jon Wohlford and "Pete" Younger were named to the All-Star team at the Enid tourney. "Pete" also set a record for scoring in a single game. He hit ten field goals and three free throws for 23 points. The record was tied in the very next game that same evening.

Al Henningsen established some kind of record when he was elected team captain of the basketball squad. Al is only a sophomore; usually a senior is the choice of the team for that honorary position.

A number of College students have been doing well along the officiating line in basketball. Many games in the neighboring towns have been handled by the so called "blind men." "Bud" Baker has exceeded anyone from the college along this line, having worked the Kirkville-Culver-Stockton College game over at Kirkville. "Bud" has developed quite a reputation for himself, working football as well as basketball games.

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## Swimming Entrants Compete for Medals

McGee and Booth Preside Duet, "Pickaninny," During Meet.

Fifty entrants competed in the intramural swimming department at the swimming pool held Thursday night, January 19, 7 o'clock, at the swimming pool. The women's swimming club demonstrated the side, breast, and back strokes, and the trudges. They also demonstrated the swimming and floating for tions.

A synchronized swimming drill entitled "Pickaninny" was given by Marjorie McGee, president of the club, and Mary Booth, captain. Other girls who took part are Betty Allen, Sarabel Davis, Margaret Berry, Marilyn Hoffman, Norine Norris, Beverly Osburn, Thelma Palma, and Mary Franklin.

Winners in various events were as follows: 40 yard breast stroke—Paul Fuerst, second—Dressler; 40 yard free style, first—Maurice Geist, second—Howard Dcan; 80 yard side stroke, first—Fisher, second—Don Hartness; yard side stroke, first—Franklin Flinger, second—Jack Clark; 40 yard back stroke, first—Maurice Geist, second—George Haws; 80 yard style, first—Gerald Deitz, second—Wayne Kinman; 80 yard stroke, first—Paul Fisher, second—Don Hoffman; 80 yard breast stroke, first—Andy Runge, second—Gerald Deitz.

Maurice Geist, Walt Stan, George Haws, and Don Hart won first in the men's relay. Dressler, Sarabel Davis, and King won the mixed relay.

Paul Carson Teaches in College Paul Carson is teaching in the soils department at the S. Teachers College in Brookings, South Dakota. Mr. Carson graduated from this College in 1941.

The Rockhurst Tournament turned out to be a repetition of last year except that the Maryville Bearcats defeated the Warrensburg Mules. The final score was 47-36.

The procedure of the tournament was about the same with the Bearcats meeting Baker University in the first game, the Green and White cagers winning 54-48. The next foe was the host team, Rockhurst, which the Cats subdued quite easily 64-41.

Al Henningsen was the big gun as far as scoring was concerned, getting a grand total of 64 points in three games, 29 points against Baker University.

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